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Applicant: Keith D. Allen

Serial No.: **09/903,393**

Filed: **July 10, 2001**

Title: Transgenic Mice Containing Limulus

Clotting Factor Protease-Like Gene

Disruptions

Group Art Unit: 1632

Examiner: Shukla, Ram R.

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Date: June 7, 2004

AMENDMENT

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✓ Deposit Account:	<u>Large</u>	Entity	Small	Entity				
Deposit Account 50-1271	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid		
Number	1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
Deposit Account Name Deltagen, Inc.	1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
Name The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)	1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification			
Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments	1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)	1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee to the above-identified deposit account.	1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
	1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month			
FEE CALCULATION	1252	420	2252	210				
1. BASIC FILING FEE Large Entity Small Entity	1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	475.00		
Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Fee Paid	1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month			
Code (\$) Code (\$) 1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee	1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month			
1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal			
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee	1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing			
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable			
	1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional			
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
Extra Claims below Fee Paid	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee			
Total Claims20** = X =	1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee			
Claims - 3** = X = X Multiple Dependent	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
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Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	1806	180	1806		Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
Code (\$) Code (\$)	8021	40	8021	l 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20 1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection			
1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1810	770	2810	205	(37 CFR 1.129(a)) For each additional invention to be			
1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims					examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))			
over original patent	1801	770	2801		Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
1205 18 2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application			
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